

ATTACHMENT 3

Service units for school-based services

Listed below are the units of service providers will be required to use when submitting claims after Wisconsin Medicaid's implementation of the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA). Providers may bill fractional units of time for most services, except for durable medical equipment. Providers should round to the nearest whole or half unit. All time is for face-to-face services with the child present in the course of providing the service.

Service	Unit
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Audiology and hearing services • Counseling services • Nursing services • Occupational and physical therapy • Psychological services • Social work services • Speech and language pathology • IDEA assessment and Individualized Education Program development 	<p style="text-align: center;">15 minutes = 1 unit <i>face-to-face time with recipient only</i></p>
Durable medical equipment	1 piece of equipment = 1 unit
Nonemergency transportation; encounter/trip	1 day = 1 unit (includes first 20 miles)
Ground mileage, per statute mile	1 day = 1 unit (for miles over the 20-mile base)